

education **is our right**

**NO CUTBACKS
LAYOFFS**

SUPPORT THE TEACHERS

The Young Socialist Alliance joins with students at Arts, Barringer and other high schools in Newark in protesting the cutbacks and layoffs, which threaten our already inadequate educational system.

We didn't cause the problem, we shouldn't pay for it. From the Board of Education, the city council, Mayor Gibson all the way up to Pres. Carter we get the same cry: "No Money". It's a lie. There's money for fat salaries and money for the Pentagon budget - the highest in U.S. history. The banks and corporations report record profits.

These cutbacks in Newark - like those in New York and Cleveland - are part of a concerted drive by the ruling rich to drive down our standard of living in order to maximize their profits.

A united effort by students, teachers, community groups and other working people can begin to turn the situation around. Students linking up in all of Newark's schools can be a powerful ally of the teachers. A citywide conference of unions, community groups and students could discuss how to best defend our education.

We cannot depend on the Democratic and Republican politicians. A broad, independent movement is necessary demanding full funding for education. By supporting the teachers in whatever way we can - in their picket lines, demonstrations and rallies - we will best defend our right to an education.

For more information about the Young Socialist Alliance send the coupon to: YSA, 11-A Central Ave., Newark, N.J. 07102.

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